**Team “White Rice”**   
Black- 1  
Damon Spivey, Ching Lai,   
Felicia Kriner, Emily Bourne

**ANSWER KEY:**

1. A - Chapter 7
2. A - Chapter 7
3. E - Chapter 7
4. A - Chapter 19
5. D - Chapter 4
6. B - Chapter 1
7. A - Chapter 1
8. A -Chapter 1
9. A - Chapter 11
10. D - Chapter 11
11. A - Chapter 11
12. B - Chapter 11
13. C - Chapter 11
14. A - Chapter 11
15. D - Chapter 11
16. E - Chapter 12
17. C - Chapter 12
18. D - Chapter 12
19. C - Chapter 12
20. D - Chapter 12
21. B - Chapter 12
22. E - Chapter 12
23. C - Chapter 13
24. D - Chapter 13
25. C - Chapter 13
26. A - Chapter 16
27. E - Chapter 16
28. E - Chapter 17
29. C - Chapter 17
30. A - Chapter 9
31. E - Chapter 19
32. A - Chapter 20
33. E - Chapter 9
34. E - Chapter 10
35. C - Chapter 10
36. C - Chapter 18
37. A - Chapter 18
38. E - Chapter 2
39. A - Chapter 2
40. D - Chapter 3
41. A - Chapter 3
42. B - Chapter 3
43. C - Chapter 5
44. B - Chapter 5
45. A - Chapter 20
46. A - Chapter 5
47. A - Chapter 18
48. E - Chapter 5
49. A - Chapter 5
50. A - Chapter 6
51. B - Chapter 6
52. E - Chapter 8
53. C - Chapter 10
54. B - Chapter 8
55. C - Chapter 10
56. C - Chapter 14
57. C - Chapter 19
58. D - Chapter 14
59. E - Chapter 14
60. D - Chapter 2

**Essay Question 1:**

* Environmental policy
* Gun control
* Disability access

Decentralized power caused several problems experienced under the Articles of Confederation. For example, the government could not levy taxes. The Framers then created the Federal Reserve which circulates money. Also there was the problem of one state having more say based on size or population. Thus the Constitution created the House that is based on population, whereas Senate’s vote is equal to every state. Lastly, states could not buy and trade from each other based on the crisis that each state had a different currency. Therefore, the Constitution made it so the United States all had the same currency to   
allow the people to trade between each other.

1. This is a simple issue of federalism. The national government imposes national environmental laws that states must follow, often these are unfunded mandates. Which means that to meet the   
standards of the EPA, the state must spend their money from their tax base.

2. The same logic applies to the area of gun control. Since there is no "national police" to control the legal and illegal distribution of firearms will have to be handled by the state police, once again costing   
the states’ money.

3. State buildings and private buildings have to be built to accommodate people with disabilities, since these people are protected by the Americans with Disabilities Act their civil rights cannot be violated so they have to have equal access(equal protection 14th), once again costing states money to retrofit buildings, streets, etc so if the national government has a national policy (central government) the states have to meet the guidelines created by the law or face fines or suspension of federal funds (decentralized).

**Essay Question 2:**

  There are many ways to participate in politics besides voting such as joining a political party. Then your political party will convey your interests to government officials. Overall the political party will help you get want you want by getting people who support your ideals into office. Another example would be protesting which is a common method of political involvement. This would be your chance to express your political interests to people by public means. You could persuade people in their political their own interests and make people see your side and join your certain interest group

**Essay Question 3:**

* Congressional reapportionment is the reallocation of the number of representatives each state has in the House of Representatives. It is important because it increases or decreases the number of seats a state has in the House/Congress, but not the Senate. Also the more representatives one state has means the more influence.
* The drawing or redrawing of House district lines.
* Politicians may want to enhance political party strength and to minimize the strength of the opposition party. Also to protect incumbents and to discourage challengers. Also to increase minority representation and to decrease minority representation. Also to punish foes/to reward friends.
* The districts must be equally populated. District lines must be contiguous or connected. Redistricting cannot dilute minority voting strength. District lines cannot be drawn solely on the basis of race. Districts must be compact. Communities of interest must be protected.

**Essay Question 4:**

* The other’s purpose was to convey how Congress cannot go on without a budget. Basically it will have a shut down and if that goes into effect, Congress will not be able to pay workers, give out aid, or carry out Government tasks.
* Essentially a shutdown is threatening our economy today. Since we are in so much debt, a revision of the budget is needed immediately. Basically with no money, there will be nothing to “wind-up” our doll of Congress. But since our Congress cannot revise quickly enough a shutdown will be approaching very soon.